Reply to Office action of September 30, 2003

1637

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

. No.

: 09/751,053

Confirmation No.

8979

Applicant

: Gil et al.

Filed

: December 29, 2000

Title

: AGENTS AND METHODS FOR TREATING PAIN

RECEIVED

TC/A.U.

: 1600/1637

Examiner

: Riley, J.

JAN 0 7 2004

**TECH CENTER 1600/2900** 

Docket No.

: D2919

Customer No. : 33197

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal service as first class mail with sufficient postage in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on: /2/30/03

∕Box 1450/

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 %

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 30, 2003, please consider the following remarks:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.